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**KODIAK COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT # 35
For Emergency Order #4-FS-K-35-19**

There will be a **72-hour extension** to the current commercial salmon fishing period from **6:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 10 to 6:00 p.m. Friday, September 13** in the following areas:

- The **Central and North Cape sections of the Northwest Kodiak District**; and
- The **Southwest Afognak Section of the Afognak District**.

The **Izhut Bay Section of the Afognak District** will **close** to commercial salmon fishing at **6:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 10**.

The following areas will **close** to commercial salmon fishing at **6:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 10**:

- The **Outer Karluk Section of the Southwest Kodiak District**;
- The **Uyak Bay, Zachar Bay, Spiridon Bay, Inner Uganik Bay, Terror Bay, Kizhuyak Bay, Sheratin Bay, and Anton Larsen Bay sections of the Northwest Kodiak District**;
- The **Duck Bay, Southeast Afognak, Raspberry Strait, Northwest Afognak, Shuyak Island, Perenosa Bay, Pauls Bay, and Northeast Afognak sections of the Afognak District**;
- The **Seven Rivers, Two-Headed, and Sitkalidak sections of the Eastside Kodiak District**;
- The **Humpy-Deadman Section of the Alitak District**; and
- The **Outer Ayakulik Section of the Southwest Kodiak District**.

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As Previously Announced:**Closed Water Adjustments:**

Closed waters are **expanded until further notice**, in that portion in the **Southwest Afognak Section** of the **Afognak District**, within one-half nautical mile of the beach near the terminus of Malina Creek (stream #252-105) between 58° 10.00' N lat. and 58° 11.00' N lat.

Fishermen are reminded, **until further notice**, within the Kodiak Area only that **portion of the Northwest Kodiak and Southwest Kodiak districts south of the latitude of Cape Kuliuk, Chinook (king) salmon 28 inches or greater in length may not be retained by purse seine gear** in the commercial fishery and must be returned to the water unharmed.

Other closed waters are as shown on the Kodiak Area Salmon Statistical Chart and detailed in the Commercial Salmon Fishing Regulations (5AAC 18.350). Statistical Charts, Harvest Strategies, and Commercial Salmon Fishing Regulations are available at the Kodiak Fish and Game office. Recent salmon fishery information may be obtained by calling the Department's 24-hour record-a-phone at 486-4559.